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SUBJECT: FAA SURVEY REPORT ON NIGERIAN CIVIL AVIATION

REF: LAGOS 3443

1. FAA REPS LUECKER AND RATOMSKY, ACCOMPANIED BY EMBOFF, HAD FRANK AND USEFUL TWO-HOUR SESSION WITH WORKING LEVEL CIVIL AVIATION OFFICIALS ON APRIL 26. NIGERIANS RAISED SEVERAL SPECIFIC QUESTIONS ON MINOR POINTS IN SURVEY REPORT, AND OFFERED WEALTH OF CONSTRUCTIVE CRITICISM OF REPORT'S MAJOR RECOMMENDATIONS. OVERALL IMPRESSION IS THAT MINISTRY SERIOUSLY CONSIDERING FAA PARTICIPATION IN IMPLEMENTATION OF ITS RECOMMENDATIONS AND THUS SUBJECTING REPORT TO CLOSEST POSSIBLE SCRUTINY.

2. BOLSTERING THIS IMPRESSION IS FACT THAT MINISTRY HAS REQUESTED FURTHER CLARIFICATION OF VOLUME II, TO INCLUDE DETAILED BREAKDOWN OF COST ESTIMATES (ESPECIALLY PERSONNEL COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS). LUECKER PROMISED TO SUPPLY DATA ON RETURN TO WASHINGTON.

3. NEXT MOVE IS UP TO MOT. WE WOULD NOT EXPECT TO RECEIVE DEFINITIVE DECISION ON IMPLEMENTATION OF REPORT BEFORE SEVERAL WEEKS AT LEAST. IN MEANTIME, LUECKER AND RATOMSKY HAVE INDICATED, AT MOT'S REQUEST, THEIR WILLINGNESS TO BE AVAILABLE FOR FURTHER CONSULTATIONS

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